

Application for Staff Therapist of Color Mentorship Program



Hello,

Thank you for your consideration of the Staff Therapist of Color Mentorship Program (STCMP) at The Psychotherapy Institute in Berkeley, CA. Please complete the following application and return via email or standard mail by **Friday, April 14, 2017**. The first round of interviews will take place in early May. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance by **Monday, May 15, 2017**.

We are aware that some of the information requested in this application may be sensitive and personal. Because of this, we want to inform you that information obtained through this application will be held in confidence and reviewed only by the STCMP admissions committee, which is solely comprised of Alexandra P. Jamali and Ali Kimmell. The primary aim of this application is to get a better sense of who you are, your desire to be a mentor, as well as a sense of your background in order to make an informed pairing between mentors and mentees. If you have any questions about the application process, please direct your inquiries to Alexandra P. Jamali, alexandra.p.jamali.lcsw@gmail.com or Ali Kimmell, alikimmelllcsw@gmail.com. We welcome dialogue and exchange.

Please email completed applications to both:

Alexandra P. Jamali at: alexandra.p.jamali.lcsw@gmail.com or
Ali Kimmell at: alikimmelllcsw@gmail.com

If sending via standard mail, please mail application to:

The Psychotherapy Institute
Attn: Staff Therapist of Color Mentorship Program
2232 Carleton Street
Berkeley, CA 94704

Again, thank you for your interest in the Staff Therapists of Color Mentorship Program. We look forward to reviewing your application and learning more about you and your interests.

Sincerely,
Alexandra P. Jamali
Ali Kimmell

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1) BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Legal Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____

Preferred pronouns: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

License and license number: _____

Expiration date of license: _____

Current primary professional position: _____

Current responsibilities required in your role and primary populations served while in this position:

Languages (other than English) spoken fluently: _____

How did you hear about Staff Therapists of Color Mentorship Program?

2) EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Graduate University: _____

Degree/Year: _____

Undergraduate School: _____

Major: _____

Degree/Year: _____

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3) PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Please attach a copy of your résumé or CV when you send in the completed application.

4) APPLICATION QUESTIONS

Please answer the following questions in narrative form. Please use a separate piece of paper and attach to your completed application. Please try to limit each answer to a paragraph.

1. How do you understand the role of a mentor? What does mentoring mean to you?
2. Why are you interested in being a mentor for Staff Therapists of Color at The Psychotherapy Institute?
3. Please share with us how your experience of race and racism has informed your sense of professional identity (including, but not limited to, navigating institutional dynamics and systemic oppression)?
4. What is your philosophy and/or approach to clinical work?
5. What are you hoping to achieve or gain through the mentorship program?
6. The STCMP requires a commitment, at a minimum, of 2 hours per month. Do you have any concerns about managing this additional demand and what supports might you need throughout this process?